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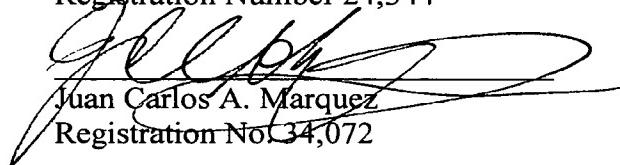
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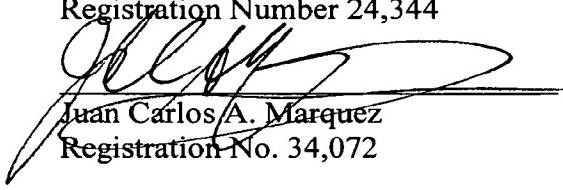
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on February 26, 2008, the period of response to which is set to expire on May 26, 2008. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: